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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed September 4, 2008 ("Restriction Requirement") that has issued in the above-referenced patent application ("Application"), Applicants submit the following remarks. With the accompanying Petition for a Four Month Extension of Time, this Response is due on or before Wednesday, February 4.

This Response includes the following sections presented on the subsequent pages:

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The Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

The Conclusion begins on page 11 of this paper.